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P. Trevor Sharp Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Wooster 1969 BA; Michigan 1974 JD Began Service: April 1982

Legal Practice: Associate, Clark, Wharton, Sharp & Maraghy

Current Memberships: The American Inns of Court; The Chief Justice Joseph Branch American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Magistrate Judges Association

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Wallace Dixon

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943 Education: North Carolina 1965 BSBA; Wake Forest 1972 JD Began Service: October 4, 2001

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of North Carolina, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1980-1983)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina (1983-1999); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of South Carolina (1999-2001)

Legal Practice: Associate, Twiford & Abbot (1972); Associate and Partner, Homesly, Jones, Gaines & Dixon (1973-1980)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1965-1969)

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William L. Stocks

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### Catharine R. Carruthers

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1954 Education: Wake Forest 1980 JD Began Service: July 24, 1995 Term Expires: July 24, 2023

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Rufus W. Reynolds, United States Bankruptcy Court (1980-1981)

Legal Practice: Billings, Burns & Wells (1982-1985); Allman Spry

Current Memberships: Forsyth County Bar Association; The North Carolina State Bar

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Thomas W. Waldrep, Jr. Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: June 6, 1957 Education: Purdue 1979 BA; Indiana 1983 JD Began Service: July 19, 2004 Term Expires: July 2018

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# United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina

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### Number of Judgeships: 7

Number of Vacancies: 1

Areas Covered: Counties of Alexander, Alleghany, Anson, Ashe, Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba, Cherokee, Clay, Cleveland, Gaston, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Iredell, Jackson, Lincoln, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mecklenburg, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Swain, Transylvania, Union, Watauga, Wilkes and Yancey

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Robert J. Conrad, Jr. Chief Judge

Judicial Yellow Book

Education: Clemson 1980 BA; Virginia 1983 JD Began Service: June 3, 2005 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: U.S. Attorney, North Carolina - Western District, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice

#### Chambers of Chief Judge Robert J. Conrad, Jr. continued

Legal Practice: Law Clerk, Michie, Hamlett, Donato & Lowry (1981-1983); Associate, Michie, Hamlett, Donato & Lowry (1983-1986); Partner, Horn & Conrad (1986-1987); Attorney, Robert J. Conrad, Jr., PA (1987-1988); Partner, Bush Thurman & Conrad (1988)

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### Richard Lesley Voorhees

District Judge Date of Birth: 1941

Education: Davidson 1963 BA; North Carolina 1968 JD

Began Service: October 28, 1988 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan Political Affiliation: Republican

Academic: Instructor (part-time), Gaston College (1980)

Government: Member, Board of Elections, County of Gaston, North Carolina (1970-1972)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina (1991-1998); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina (2006)

Legal Practice: Associate, Garland, Alala, Bradley & Gray; Partner, Garland & Alala (1974-1980); Richard L. Voorhees Law Firm (1980-1988)

Military Service: United States Army (1963-1965); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1965-1969)

Current Memberships: Federal Judges Association; North Carolina Bar Association: The North Carolina State Bar

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# Lacy H. Thornburg

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1929 Education: North Carolina 1951 BA, 1954 JD Began Service: March 21, 1995 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: State Representative (NC), North Carolina House of Representatives (1961-1966); Attorney General, State of North Carolina (1985-1992); Member, Indian Gaming Commission, United States Department of the Interior (1994-1995)

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